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COMMUNICATION

Sir:

In response to the telephonic inquiry from the Examiner, of July 8, 2005 regarding the Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) submitted on January 4, 2005, please find attached the following.

- 1) a copy of the IDS of January 4, 2005 including a stamped postcard from OIPE and a copy of a communication from a foreign patent office. It should be noted that U.S. counterparts to the references indicated in the communication, e.g. CN 1177901 and CN 1236798 were submitted in an IDS filed on May 18, 2004.
- 2) a copy of the IDS of May 18, 2004 noted above including a stamped postcard from OIPE. Applicants note that in discussing the matter with the Examiner it appears this IDS was misplaced and was therefore not made of record. In addition, a non-related paper was made of record in the file.

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The Examiner is requested to consider the communication from the foreign office noted in item 1) above, and is further requested to review and consider the references from the IDS of May 18, 2004 including the references from the foreign communication and return an initialed form PTO-1449 associated therewith.

In view of the Examiner's amendment also discussed by telephone on July 8, 2005 to correct two typographical errors, the applicants respectfully submit that the present application is in condition for allowance. A timely notice to that effect accompanied by the initialed form PTO-1449 is respectfully requested. If questions relating to patentability remain, the examiner is invited to contact the undersigned by telephone.

Please charge any unforeseen fees that may be due to Deposit Account No. 50-1147.

espectfully submitted,

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.P.R. §1.56, the references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 are being brought to the attention of the Examiner without any admission that they constitute statutory prior art, or without any admission that they contain subject matter that anticipates the invention or renders the invention obvious to a person of ordinary skill in the art.

Further, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c)(1), the undersigned hereby certifies that each listed reference was first cited in a Communication (copy enclosed) from a foreign patent office in connection with a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this statement. Please note that the references CN 117790! A and CN 1236798 A cited in the Communication were already disclosed in the Information Disclosure Statement filed on May 18, 2004.

Although no fees are believed to be due at this time, it is respectfully requested that any such fees be charged to Deposit Account 50-1147. Also, the Examiner is requested to initial the attached PTO Form-1449 and to return a copy of same to the undersigned attorney as proof that the listed references have been considered and made of record.

Respectfully submitted,

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